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SEVENTH YEAR

—OF THE—

NORTH GEORGIA

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

1878-79.

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PRINTERS.
DAHLONEGA, GEORGIA.

FACULTY.

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(Graduate of the University of Georgia.)

Professor of Greek and English Literature.

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(Graduate of Wesleyan University, Ky.)

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Professor of Military Science and Tactics, Commandant of Cadets and Adjunct Professor of Mathematics.

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PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

MISS LEONIE G. KUHTMAN,
Principal of Girls Primary Department.

M. G. BATES,
Principal of Boys Primary Department.

REPORT.

TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA:

Gentlemen: The Seventh Scholastic Year of the North Georgia Agricultural College now about to close has been marked with a wonderful and peculiar history.

1. The attendance has been unusually large-reaching to the number of 322 scholars.

2. Out of this concourse of young people we have not been called upon to chronicle a solitary death, and there has been but few cases of serious illness among them.

3. The number of teachers sent into the State schools numbered 57. These teachers taught schools that were generally larger than heretofore, showing that the people are taking more interest in the education of their children than formerly.

4. In the midst of its unparalleled usefulness the College building was, on the morning of the 20th of December, 1878, destroyed by fire, thus entailing upon the State at large, and the community generally, a loss that at the time seemed irreparable. The occurrence was regretted in all parts of the State. Many of the cities, towns and communities sent us testimonials of sincere condolence. Hundreds of public-spirited citizens of the State, among them many mothers, whose children had here been taught, in the past, sent us encouraging words not to "give up." With the prayers and well-wishes of all good people we went to work, improvised rooms in the town for the Professors and teachers; purchased new scientific apparatus, and put everything so promptly to work that only about forty-eight hours were lost in recitations by the destruction of the building. Students, who designed spending the Christmas holidays at their homes rallied enthusiastically to the work and have remained through the entire term.

5. The increase in attendance, since the fire, has been most remarkable. Perhaps no institution of learning heretofore razed to the ground, can show such devotion on the part of professors and students, or where they gathered around the ashes of their destroyed *Alma Mater* with greater zeal and determination to see the same restored to its wonted beauty and beneficence.

FINANCES.

But for the destruction of the building by fire, the indebtedness of the College would have been fully discharged in another twelve months. The loss of the building has made it necessary for us to rent a dwelling house for the President of the Faculty at \$100 per annum, which amount will have to be raised until a suitable house is erected for his use. This, with other extraordinary outlays since the fire, prevents us from getting entirely out of debt. Our professors and teachers are fully paid up, and there is no part of our liabilities that are pressing hardly upon us at present.

LICENSED TEACHERS.

Last year we licensed and sent forth, under the act of the General Assembly passed especially in behalf of this Institution, fifty-seven teachers. These young persons have given entire satisfaction to patrons and scholars wherever they taught. We are assured by the Faculty that those who will be sent out this year will be farther advanced

in scholarship, and will therefore be much better prepared to engage in the work of teaching than any heretofore sent forth. The number licensed this year will exceed considerably the number of last year. No feature of our school gives us greater satisfaction than this one. The results in a short time will be felt throughout the entire State.

THE REASONS

WHY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA WILL BE CALLED UPON AT ITS NEXT SESSION FOR MEANS TO REBUILD THE COLLEGE.

1. The Legislature of the State, by its acceptance in 1866 of the Agricultural College scrip, from Congress for 270,000 acres of land, for the support and maintenance of one or more Agricultural colleges in the State, agreed to the express conditions mentioned in the act of Congress of July 2, 1862. A prominent condition was the one which required the States so accepting said scrip to "provide at least not less than one College," such as the act called for. The Congress subsequently, in 1872, donated the handsome building at Dahlonega, formerly known as the U. S. Branch Mint, to be used strictly in conformity to the act alluded to. This was really supplementing Georgia's portion of the College endowment by the Government. The people of Athens also provided another building at their own expense, and the same is now known as the State College of Agriculture. Thus the State of Georgia has not, up to this time, been called upon to provide the buildings she obligated herself to furnish when she accepted the College Scrip. It is true, that the State has hitherto appropriated the sum of \$4,500.00 at different times, to repair the building at Dahlonega, to purchase desks and to pay the freight on guns, artillery and ammunition from U. S. arsenals, but the State has not yet provided a college building any where for agricultural purposes. In 1877 the General Assembly, through the Committee on Insurance thought proper to recommend an insurance on the Dahlonega College, believing that if destroyed by fire the State would be called upon to rebuild it in conformity with the terms of acceptance. Before the Legislature again met the insurance policy expired, and the building, at the time of its destruction was not insured, being a total loss.

2. At the time of the union of the Dahlonega College with the University of Georgia, in 1872, by the terms of the agreement, the *fee simple* in and to the College and grounds was conveyed to the Trustees of the University of Georgia. This placed them in possession of the whole of the Scrip and the real estate, donated to Georgia for Agricultural College purposes, where it now remains.

3. The Constitution of Georgia for 1877 provides as follows: "In addition to the payment of the annual interest on the debt due by the State to the State University, the General Assembly may, from time to time, make such donations thereto as the condition of the Treasury will authorize." Notice has been given, as required by law, that an application will be made to the General Assembly at its next session "to appropriate to the Trustees of the State University the sum of \$20,000, to rebuild the North Georgia Agricultural College at Dahlonega, and to procure suitable furniture for the same." As the N. G. A. College is a part and parcel of the University of Georgia, and the property belonging to the University of Georgia, it was thought best to make application through your Board for the appropriation, the same to be used under direction of the local Board, if the same should be allowed. In the meantime, and in order to save much of the material of the old building, we have borrowed from our small Endowment fund the sum of three thousand dollars or more to be used immediately. By so doing we are satisfied that several hundred dollars can be saved. The money thus borrowed to be restored from any funds hereafter appropriated for rebuilding the College.

4. By the appointment of a committee from your Board in conjunction with a like committee from our local Board a memorial to the General Assembly might be prepared and presented to that body. As your Annual session does not take place until the Legislature has commenced its session, we have thought proper to take such steps as would place this matter before them early in the session, believing that such course would meet your approval, and bring to our aid your hearty co-operation before the proper committee, which will be appointed to consider the application.

SALARIES OF PROFESSORS, ETC.

The sums now paid to all the professors and teachers amount annually to \$4,250.00.
 The amount received from the State University..... 3,500.00

Leaving a deficit in salaries annually of..... \$750.00
 Which is made up from other sources, and seriously cripples our operations in many respects. The salaries of the professors ought to be more nearly equalized if possible, and the pay of the teachers in the Female and Primary Departments ought, by all means, to be increased. To enable us to procure the teaching force now needed, and to properly reward those already employed, the sum of \$5,000.00 ought to be appropriated from the Land Scrip Fund. This would enable us to support the Normal Department and to make suitable progress in the new features that will be introduced when we take possession of the new College building, out of the monies received from the Gilmer Fund, and entrance fees. Mr. W. F. Crisselle, a graduate of the class of 1878, has been engaged the past year as Adjunct Professor, by Col. Lewis, President of the Faculty. There being no money from any source whatever, which we could apply for his salary, we have paid him nothing. His services have, doubtless, been of great value to the College, (they are certainly needed,) and we much regret that we could not offer him compensation adequate to those services. We respectfully urge upon your honorable Board to take such steps as you think best in regard to this matter. We will not, in the future, employ teachers beyond our means of paying them. In other words, we will not increase our indebtedness, for that purpose.

CONCLUSION.

Although embarrassed by the burning down of the College building, entailing upon our Board, the faculty, students and the community generally, a great deal of trouble and inconvenience, we have the pleasure of reporting a state of things with us every way encouraging and hopeful. The utmost good feeling prevails between our Board and the Faculty. If we have our differences we settle them satisfactorily and harmoniously by frequent interchange of views and personal intercourse with each other. No serious conflicts of any sort have taken place with the students. Their conduct, generally, for the last year has been such as to win for them the highest meed of praise. The very few intractable scholars sent to us have either been reformed by the splendid discipline of the school, or dismissed, so that our troubles, whatever they may have been, have been comparatively light.

The College building will be restored! If our grand old mother, Georgia, should prove direlict—abandon us and her contract to provide a suitable building for her Agricultural College—which we have never dreamed she would do—we shall certainly find friends who will take the matter up, and supply our need.

Believing your body will patiently consider the matters herein brought to your attention, and listen as you have always done in the past to all proper demands on you for help, this report is respectfully submitted.

W. P. PRICE,
 President of the Board.

Adopted by the Board.

GRADUATES

Of the North Georgia Agricultural College for the Year 1878.

(Receiving Degree of A. B.)

M. G. Bates.....	Murray county.
R. N. Coffee.....	Gordon county.
G. W. Collier.....	Fulton county.
W. F. Crusselle.....	Fulton county.
E. B. Earl.....	Floyd county.
J. R. Gray.....	Bartow county.
W. D. Harris.....	Murray county.
Miss Willie Lewis.....	Lumpkin county.
O. N. Starr.....	Gordon county.
Trammell Starr.....	Gordon county.

Graduates For 1879.

(Receiving Degree of A. B.)

J. H. Abernathy.....	Fulton county.
J. W. Henley.....	Murray county.
Miss Lizzie Chapman,.....	Lumpkin county.

LIST OF STUDENTS.

ROLL 1878-79.

Abernathy, John H.....	Fulton county.
†Abernathy, William C.....	Fulton county.
Allen, Luella.....	Dawson county.
Alexander, Joseph B.....	Cobb county.
Alexander, James E.....	Cobb county.
Anderson, Edgar R.....	Cobb county.
Arnold, Hal D.....	Wilkes county.
Arnold, Nathan D.....	Wilkes county.
Asbel, Josie.....	Glynn county.
Barber, Henry.....	Hall county.
Barrette, Emma.....	Gordon county.
Barrette, Harvey P.....	Gordon county.
Bates, Judge J.....	Murray county.
Bearden, Lorenzo A.....	Lumpkin county.
Beaver, Henrietta.....	Fannin county.
†Berry, William.....	Lumpkin county.
Besser, Bismarck.....	Lumpkin county.
Besser, Charles.....	Lumpkin county.
Besser, Emma.....	Lumpkin county.
Besser, William E.....	Lumpkin county.
Best, Watt H.....	Bartow county.
Biggers, Gustavus B.....	Fulton county.

Blanchard, Thomas	Lumpkin county.
Blanchard, Willie	Lumpkin county.
†Bolding, John O.	Hall county.
Bolding, Wesley L.	Hall county.
Boyd, Joseph W.	Lumpkin county.
Brittain, Mamie	Lumpkin county.
Brown, George R.	Cherokee county.
Bryant, Sallie C.	Dawson county.
*Burt, Jefferson D.	Dawson county.
Busha, William M.	Habersham county.
Camp, Herbert A.	Jackson county.
Campbell, Mary J.	Hall county.
†Cannon, Thomas C.	Walton county.
Cash, Marion R.	Banks county.
Chapman, Frank	Lumpkin county.
Chapman, John M.	Lumpkin county.
Chapman, Julia M.	Lumpkin county.
Chapman, Lizzie	Lumpkin county.
Cheek, Robert B.	DeKalb county.
Chester, Benjamin J.	Dawson county.
Childress, William O.	Forsyth county.
Clark, Henry P.	Dawson county.
Clark, George T.	Fulton county.
*Gonts, Samuel C.	Dawson county.
†Cobb, John P.	Gilmer county.
Cochran, Jaba B.	Union county.
Cochran, John P.	Union county.
Cochran, Lewis W.	Union county.
Cook, William	Lumpkin county.
Cooper, Fred R.	Fulton county.
Cousins, Robert B.	Clayton county.
Crawford, Ada B.	Fannin county.
Crawford, Bruce	Fannin county.
Crawford, Charles	Henry county.
Crawford, Millard B.	Fannin county.
Crow, William T.	Lumpkin county.
Crusselle, George W.	Fulton county.
Cutcher, John	Fannin county.
Darden, Horace M.	Harris county.
*Davenport, D Fred	Sumter county.
Davis, Jefferson	Habersham county.
Davis, Lewis	Habersham county.
Davis, Sallie G.	Lumpkin county.
Davis, Susan	Lumpkin county.
Davis, Willis C.	Houston county.
Deck, Dora	Lumpkin county.
Deck, Beulah	Lumpkin county.
Deck, Katie	Lumpkin county.
Deck, Lula	Lumpkin county.
DeLea, John E.	Richmond, Va.
Delk, William P.	Cobb county.
Dennis, Isaac W.	Putnam county.
Dodd, John K.	Lumpkin county.
†Dodd, Henry A.	Lumpkin county.
Drane, Albert G.	Sumter county.

Edwards, Mattie A.	Lumpkin county.
Edwards, Peter M.	Lumpkin county.
†Evans, Jasper.	Lumpkin county.
Evans, Wesley.	Lumpkin county.
Everett, Thomas W.	Fulton county.
†Fisher, Amaziah H.	Milton county.
Fitz, Seth.	Lumpkin county.
Fitz, Tollie.	Lumpkin county.
Fraser, George W.	Halt county.
†Freeman, Walton J.	Habersham county.
Gaddis, Columbia.	Lumpkin county.
Gaddis, Fannie.	Lumpkin county.
Gaddis, Georgia.	Lumpkin county.
Gaddis, Jo Anna.	Lumpkin county.
†Gaddis, John F.	Lumpkin county.
Gaddis, Louisa.	Lumpkin county.
Gaddis, Oregon D. M.	Lumpkin county.
Gaillard, James J.	Spalding county.
Galt, William.	Cherokee county.
Garner, Robert.	Troup county.
Garrard, Daniel K.	Clay county, Ky.
Glover, Gussie.	Campbell county.
Glover, Mary.	Lumpkin county.
Gregory, Hyden H.	Murray county.
Griggs, Florrie.	Glynn county.
Grubb, John.	Lumpkin county.
Grubb, Susan.	Lumpkin county.
Harris, Chappel M.	Lumpkin county.
Harris, Mattie F.	Lumpkin county.
Harris, Willie.	Lumpkin county.
Harris, Robt. F.	Lumpkin county.
Hatfield, Joseph B.	Lumpkin county.
*Head, Shannon B.	Monroe county.
Henley, John W.	Murray county.
Hillyer, Llewellyn P.	Monroe county.
*Hooks, William W.	Sumter county.
Houston, Lula L.	Glynn county.
Houston, Millie G.	Glynn county.
Huddleston, John H.	Monroe county.
†Hudson, Allen.	Douglas county.
Hughes, L. A.	Lumpkin county.
Hughes, E. E.	Lumpkin county.
Hughes, N. M.	Lumpkin county.
Hughes, W. G.	Lumpkin county.
Ivey, George N.	Jackson county.
Jarrard, David W.	Habersham county.
Jenkins, Frank.	Lumpkin county.
Jenkins, Martha.	Lumpkin county.
Jenkins, Nancy.	Lumpkin county.
Johnson, Clay.	Dawson county.
Johnson, David O.	Hall county.
Johnson, Georgia C.	Cobb county.

Johnson, George S.	Hall county.
Johnson, Cicero	Hall county.
Johnson, Herschel V.	Hall county.
Johnson, Larkin C.	Lumpkin county.
Johnson, Nancy A.	Lumpkin county.
Keenun, Lucy	Lumpkin county
Kiser, Edward A.	Fulton county.
Knott, James E.	Henry county.
Lamar, Phil. T.	Chatham county.
Latham, M. A.	Lumpkin county.
Lattner, James S.	Franklin county.
Lawrence, Anna	Lumpkin county.
Lawrence, Ida	Lumpkin county.
Lawrence, Jesse	Lumpkin county.
Lawrence, John	Lumpkin county.
Lawrence, Laura	Lumpkin county.
Lawson, Maud	Lumpkin county.
Lawton, George M.	Spalding county.
Leonard, Simeon H.	Murray county.
Lewis, Mary R.	Lumpkin county.
Little, Thomas H.	Hancock county.
Logan, William B.	Dawson county.
†Loggans, William M.	Habersham county.
Lombard, Lula	New York.
Lombard, Nannie	New York.
Long, Sumner	Lumpkin county.
Long, Bertie	Lumpkin county.
Long, Mattie	Lumpkin county.
Long, Mollie	Lumpkin county.
Long, Sallie	Lumpkin county.
Longstreet, James	Hall county.
Longstreet, Robert L.	Hall county.
Looper, John A.	Dawson county.
Lyon, John W.	Bibb county.
Lyon, LaFayette L.	Bibb county.
Mallette, William K.	Thomas county.
Martin, William L.	Pike county.
Maxwell, Joel C.	Sumter county.
McAfee, Charles F.	Lumpkin county.
McAfee, William W.	Lumpkin county.
McBean, Alexander	Walton county.
McClure, Anna L.	Dawson county.
McClure, Emma	Dawson county.
McClure, James H.	Dawson county.
McClure John N.	Dawson county.
McClure, Mary E.	Dawson county.
McClure, Robert B.	Dawson county.
†McCravy, Abijah T.	Hall county.
McLaws, Uldric H.	Chatham county.
McMillan, Harry C.	Fulton county.
McDonald, Mary	Lumpkin county.

Meaders, Frank	Lumpkin county.
Meaders, Bobbie	Lumpkin county.
Meaders, Charles	Lumpkin county.
Meaders, Eddie	Lumpkin county.
Meaders, Emma	Lumpkin county.
Meaders, Fannie	Lumpkin county.
Meaders, Archie	Lumpkin county.
Meadow, David W.	Madison county.
†Milner, Robert W.	Clark county.
†Mitchell, Jett T.	Walton county.
Moon, Charles A.	Gordon county.
Moore, Clara	Lumpkin county.
Moose, Cora	Lumpkin county.
Moore, John H.	Lumpkin county.
Moore, Oliver A.	Newton county,
Moore, Thomas	Lumpkin county.
Murphy, Bessie	Lumpkin county.
Murphy, Mamie	Lumpkin county.
Murphy, Edward S.	Fulton county.
Myrick William S.	Baldwin county
Neal, Ernest C.	Warren county.
Neal, John C.	Pike county.
Neal, Julius	Warren county.
Osborn, John L.	Gilmer county.
Owen, E. E.	Lumpkin county.
Palmour, Charles F.	Dawson county.
Park, Alonzo T.	Gwinnett county.
Parker, Frank	Lumpkin county.
Parker, Willie	Lumpkin county.
Payton, John T.	Banks county.
Peek, Carlos N.	Cobb county.
†Perry, Benjamin A.	Dawson county.
Phillips, Spencer A.	Gordon county.
†Phinazee, Walter	Monroe county.
Picklesimon, Morning S.	Lumpkin county.
†Pirkle, James M.	Hall county.
Price, Belle	Lumpkin county.
Price, Cadie	Lumpkin county.
Price, Sallie	Lumpkin county.
Power, Charles G.	Cobb county.
Puckett, John H. C.	Fulton county.
Putnam Edward A.	Glynn county.
Pye, Joseph A.	Monroe county.
Ragsdale, Bartow D.	DeKalb county.
Reid, Daniel G.	Clay county, Ky.
Reese, Frank	Lumpkin county.
Reeve, Lucius L.	Gordon county.
Reeves, Fred M.	Gordon county.
Reynolds, Cincinnatus C.	Cobb county.
Rice, Parker M.	Fulton county.
Rice, Willie	Lumpkin county.
Richards, Robert H.	Fulton county.
Roberts, Morgan S.	Harris county.
Robertson, M. S.	Gordon county.
Robinson, Jerry H.	Warren county.

Robinson, Mary	Lumpkin county.
Seitz, Fannie	Lumpkin county.
†Slater, John R.	Bulloch county.
Smith, Milton A.	Macon county.
Smith, Washington C.	Paulding county.
Smith, Tiny	Lumpkin county.
Sparks, John	Lumpkin county.
Spencer, Henry D.	Hall county.
Stanton, Charles Q.	Gordon county.
Stanton, Mary E.	Gordon county.
Stipe, Emma	Lumpkin county.
Stipe, Mollie	Lumpkin county.
Stow, Micellus N.	Lumpkin county.
Stow, Doris	Lumpkin county.
Stow, Corrie	Lumpkin county.
Street, George R.	Murray county.
Strickland, Algernon S.	Carroll county.
Strickland, Columbus	Lumpkin county.
Strickland, D. E.	Lumpkin county.
Strickland, Emeline	Lumpkin county.
Strickland, Emma	Lumpkin county.
Strickland, F. S.	Lumpkin county.
Strickland, Homer	Lumpkin county.
Sturdivant, E. F.	Banks county.
Tankersley, John H.	Gilmer county.
Tate, Farish C.	Pickens county.
Tate, William B.	Pickens county.
Teasley, George I.	Cherokee county
Thomas, Henry	Lumpkin county.
Thomas, Ross	Lumpkin county.
Thompson, Charles N.	Floyd county.
Thompson, Edgar B.	Hall county.
Trammell, Thomas P.	Bartow county.
VanDyke, Arthur	Lumpkin county.
Vaughn, George W.	Lumpkin county.
Vaughn, Eugenius A.	DeKalb county.
Vaughn, Mollie	Lumpkin county.
Venable, Francis B.	Lumpkin county.
Venable, Thomas L.	Lumpkin county.
Walker, Frank	Morgan county.
Walker, John G.	Morgan county.
Wallace, Charles B.	Fulton county.
Wallace, Cicero	Lumpkin county.
Wallace, Luther	Lumpkin county.
Ware, Ferdinand N.	Lincoln county.
Ware, Henry L.	Fayette, county.
Ward, Bernard C.	Clayton county.
Watt, Charles E.	Forest Home, Ala.
Watts, Benjamin	Gordon county.
Weaver, Floyd D.	Hall county.
Webb, Claud	Clark county.
Webb, Emma E.	Clark county.
Webb, Hoyt	Clark county.
Webb, John	Clark county.

Webb, Lee H.....	Clark county.
Webb, Maud.....	Clark county.
Webb, Robert W.....	Clark county.
Welch, William C.....	Gilmer county.
Wesley, Frank F.....	DeKalb county.
Wesley, Thomas J.....	DeKalb county.
Whelchel, John.....	Lumpkin county.
Whelchel, Mary A.....	Lumpkin county.
Whelchel, Nannie.....	Lumpkin county.
Whelchel, Sallie.....	Lumpkin county.
Whitmire, John.....	Lumpkin county.
Whitmire Mary.....	Lumpkin county.
Williams, Cora.....	Lumpkin county.
†Williams, Fulton J.....	Union county.
Williams, Lula.....	Lumpkin county.
Williams, Marion J.....	Union county.
Williams, Willie.....	Lumpkin county.
Wills, George T.....	Hall county.
Wills, James A.....	Hall county.
Wills, Mary C.....	Hall county.
Wilson, Henry M.....	Cobb county.
Wilson, Horace E.....	Effingham county.
Wilson, Walter S.....	Effingham county.
Winter, Charles W.....	Fulton county.
Wood, Mary.....	Lumpkin county.
Woodward, Lettie.....	Lumpkin county.
Woodward, Maggie.....	Lumpkin county.
Woodward, Willie.....	Lumpkin county.
†Woodward, Richard F.....	Williston, S. C.
Worley, Carrie.....	Lumpkin county.
Worley, Eddie.....	Lumpkin county.
Worley, Willie.....	Lumpkin county.
†Yow, Eppa M.....	Franklin county.

* Expelled under rule of Government 21.

† Excused from military duty on account of physical disability, see rule 22.

COURSE OF STUDY.

V. CLASS.—PREPARATORY.

LATIN.—Grammar and Reader.

GRAMMAR AND HISTORY.—Holmes' English Grammar; United States History.

MATHEMATICS.—Robinson's Higher Arithmetic; Robinson's Elementary Algebra.

NATURAL SCIENCE.—Monteith's Geography; Zoology.

ENGLISH EXERCISES.

IV. CLASS.—FRESHMAN.

LATIN.—Caesar; Virgil; Cicero; Prose Composition.

GREEK.—Harkness' First Book; Greek Reader.

MATHEMATICS.—Robinson's University Algebra; Loonis's Geometry; Plane Trigonometry (Robinson).

NATURAL SCIENCE.—Physiology; Natural Philosophy.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

III. CLASS.—SOPHOMORE.

LATIN.—Horace; Livy; Sallust; Latin Prose; Roman Antiquities.

GREEK.—Greek Prose Composition; Anabasis; Homer.

MATHEMATICS.—Spherical Trigonometry (Robinson's); Murray's Surveying; Church's Analytical Geometry.

NATURAL SCIENCE.—Physical Geography; Physics.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

II. CLASS.—JUNIOR.

LATIN.—Cicero's Rhetorical and Ethical Works; Terence; Latin Prose Composition, and Original Exercises.

GREEK.—Arnold's Greek Prose Composition; Herodotus; Xenophon's Memorabilia.

MATHEMATICS.—Millar's Descriptive Geometry; Peck's Calculus.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.—Upton's Infantry Tactics; Welcker's Military Lessons.

METAPHYSICS AND RHETORIC.—Mental Philosophy; Moral Philosophy; Rhetoric.

NATURAL SCIENCE.—Roscoe's Theoretical Chemistry.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

I. CLASS.—SENIOR.

LATIN.—Composition; Persius; Juvenal; Plautus.

GREEK.—Prose Composition; Alcestis of Euripides; Antigone of Sophocles; Prometheus Vinctus of Eschylus.

APPLIED MATHEMATICS.—Parkinson's Mechanics; White's Astronomy.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.—Ordnance and Gunnery; State Militia Laws; Military Law and Courts-Martial; Practical Military Signaling.

LOGIC AND GEOLOGY.—Logic; Dana's Geology.

NATURAL SCIENCE.—Agricultural Chemistry.

BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE.—Young men who satisfactorily complete the above course of study will graduate with the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Young ladies, who complete the same course, French taking the place of Mechanics and Military science, will graduate with the same degree.

YOUNG LADIES' DEPARTMENT.—The regular course for young ladies is the same as Bachelor of Arts course, omitting all the Mathematics except Arithmetic, Algebra and Geometry, and all the Greek except Syntax, Composition and Xenophon or Testament—and taking, instead, a course in one of the Modern Languages. Young ladies completing this regular course will receive diplomas and be declared graduates in the Young Ladies' Department of the N. G. A. College.

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

This department is intended to afford a thorough preparation for those who design entering the Collegiate department. It is under the direction of the Faculty of the College. Students in the College proper, are allowed to review and make up any study in which they may be deficient.

INFORMATION.

APPARATUS.

A valuable Philosophical and Chemical Apparatus, as well as useful and instructive Astronomical Apparatus, have been purchased and are now in use in the Department of Natural Science.

SOCIETIES.

Three Literary societies have been organized in the College to-wit: The Price Debating Society, the Decora Pelaestra Society, and the Phi Mu. These Societies have done much toward the improvement of the young men of the College. The young ladies of the institution have likewise a society, composed of their number, which is called the Corona. Hædera Society.

EXPENSES.

Students can readily find board in good families for \$10.00 to \$12.00 per month. Not less than fifty young men have rented cottages and rooms at low rates and messed together. In this way they have been enabled to live upon about \$5.00 per month.

LOCATION.

Dahlonega is the county site of Lumpkin county, a village of six or seven hundred inhabitants, exclusive of students of the College. It is twenty-five miles by stage from Gainesville on the Richmond and Atlanta Air-Line Railroad, and about seventy miles north of Atlanta. It lies in the centre of Northeast Georgia, fifty miles from the State lines of Tennessee, North and South Carolinas. The mountains lie all around and about the place, rendering it one of the most beautiful and romantic places in the South. Fine freestone water abounding everywhere, and mineral springs within easy walk of the College building, that are regarded by eminent physicians and chemists as containing medicinal properties for the cure of many of the diseases which afflict residents of the low country, to-wit: chills, fevers and malarial diseases generally, and are specially recommended for rheumatism and dyspepsia. There are three churches in the place—Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian. Two Sabbath Schools are regularly kept up. The *Signal* is published weekly in the place. Its columns are always open for the publication of original compositions by the students, and will, from time to time, contain useful information concerning the College, its experiments, examinations, etc.

Students, on their arrival at Gainesville, will take the daily hack line for Dahlonega. Fare ranging from \$1.50 to \$2.00

VISITORS FROM THE UNIVERSITY.

The following members of the Board of Trustees of the University of Georgia were appointed to visit the North Georgia Agricultural College Commencement Exercises for the year 1879: Hon. J. B. Gordon, Bishop J. W. Beckwith, and Lamar Cobb.

FALL SESSION.

The next Fall Session—which is the beginning of the scholastic year—commences on the first Monday in September, 1879, and continues, without interruption, until the first of February, at which time the Spring Term begins.

ADMISSION FEE.

No tuition fees are exacted of any student. An admission fee of five dollars, each term, is paid by those who are not in indigent circumstances. The latter are furnished with cards of admission by the Relief Committee. Just as soon as our means will al-

low, it is the design of the Board to require no fees whatever. The admission fees goent rely to defray the expenses of wood and repairs on the building as there is no fund from which to meet these demands.

OBJECTS.

The educational intelligence afforded by this institution has especially in view the preparation of the pupil :

1. For the business and for the enjoyment of practical *home and farm life*.
2. For the higher classes in the University of Georgia.
3. For the profession of teaching, and as a passport to the same, *Certificates of Proficiency* in the studies of the several departments, and of qualifications to teach, will be granted by the Trustees to students, showing diligence, aptitude and progress in their education. The Faculty, by express authority of the Legislature, can grant licenses to the students in this institution to teach in the State schools without further examination.

NORTH GEORGIA AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

An Act to establish a Normal Department in the North Georgia Agricultural College at Dahlonega, and to more efficiently provide for the Military Department of the same, and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia.* That, as soon after the passage of this Act as practicable, the Board of Trustees of the North Georgia Agricultural College, shall be required to organize more fully and efficiently a Normal Department in said college. Said Board of Trustees, shall, in connection with the State Board of Education, adopt such rules and regulations as may be necessary and proper for the free admission of such pupils, male and female—not less than one from each county—as may express the desire and intention of following the business of teaching. The object being to provide, as early as possible, a sufficient number of capable and efficient teachers for the common schools of the State, and to provide others, as may be demanded, from time to time. Said Board of Trustees shall have power, under terms agreed upon before the admission of pupils to this department, with consent of the parent or guardian, to send said pupils, during the fall months, to teach remote schools not otherwise provided for.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That said Board of Trustees shall be authorized to contribute to the support of such teachers as may be sent to remote school districts, from any fund in their hands not otherwise specially appropriated, such sums of money, which, taken with such aid as may be secured from patrons, as will enable them properly to subsist while so engaged; but nothing contained in this section shall authorize the schools so taught to be kept for a longer period than three months in any scholastic year. Said Board of Trustees are also authorized to provide room rent free to such pupils while attending the Normal Department, and such other aid as will enable such pupils to subsist upon the most economical plan. And the certificate of proficiency and licenses to teach, which may be granted by the Faculty of said college to such pupils as may be found to be qualified to teach, shall be countersigned by the President and Secretary of the Board of Trustees, and bear the seal of said institution; and the persons holding such certificates and licenses shall not be required to undergo an examination, or procure a license, from any Board of Education or County School Commissioner, before they can teach in any of the common schools of the State, where they are employed by the patrons of the school.

Approved February 23, 1877.

LIBRARY.

The institution has only a limited number of volumes at this time. Generous contributions have found their way to the college during the past year, which, we trust, will be largely augmented in time. To make up this deficiency, the large and valuable library of President Lewis, equalled by but few, if any, private libraries in the State, has been generously thrown open to the use of students during the past year, for which

the Trustees feel profoundly grateful. The privilege of his library has been of immense benefit to the school.

We shall be pleased to receive contributions of books, pamphlets, rare old papers, and pictures of prominent authors, statesmen, educators, divines, lawyers, physicians, ar-
tizans, musicians, as well as those who distinguish themselves in any other of the hon-
orable pursuits of life. These will have a conspicuous place assigned them in the Col-
lege.

THE "STEVENS" MEDAL.

The well known jewelers, J. P. Stevens & Co., of Atlanta, having tendered the North Georgia Agricultural College an annual gold medal, the Faculty have considered it best to allow it to be worn by that student having the best record in the different depart-
ments. Walter S. Wilson, of Effingham county receives the medal for the year 1878-79.

A FEATURE,

DISTINCTIVE, VALUABLE, UNEQUALLED.

This institution has a place for a pupil of any grade of scholarship, from the first term or class of the Primary Department, through the Senior class of the Bachelor of Arts course. Hence, the value to families. Parents, with sons and daughters, from five to twenty-five years of age, do come and take up their residence here for these advantages, and thus enjoy, while their children are being educated, the blessings of a family with all at home—freedom from anxiety for children sick at a distant boarding school—the influence of home and of parents, valuable to sons, essential to daughters—in and the influence of an unconscious education of the younger pupils, which is derived from their observation of the manners, the proper language, the propriety of dress, no, which they daily witness in the older and better cultivated pupils, and the attention and assistance and protection which older brothers and sisters can give to the younger when in the same school.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

This department, under the immediate command of Lieutenant Joseph Garrard, 4th United States Artillery, was organized in the early part of the spring term of 1877. The Battalion consists of two Companies, and is officered by Cadets, chosen generally from the higher classes, for their proficiency and skill in the various drills. The members of the Battalion are drilled in the several schools, in their order: School of the Soldier, Company and Battalion; and, for the time spent, and opportunities, are exceedingly well drilled. Military drill and discipline are obligatory upon all male students. Students who are permanently disabled should come provided with a certificate-on-honor of a competent physician, stating their disability, etc., and that said student is unable to attend Military drill. We find that the drill gives to the students exercise which is absolutely essential to health of body and mind, and which many of them would not take unless required to do so. The Cadets are drilled daily, Sundays excepted, when the weather permits. The drill hour is taken from the time allowed for recreation and exercise.

In the fire which destroyed the College Building, Dec. 20, 1878, all the guns and accoutrements in the Armory were lost; 87 guns, with accoutrements, that were then in hands of the students, were saved. We expect to get more from the General Government as they are needed.

ARTILLERY DRILL.—Just previous to commencement of last year we received two field pieces, 3 inch calibre from the General Government, which also furnishes us yearly with a supply of friction primers and blank cartridges. The instruction in this drill will be confined for the present to the "manual of the piece."

TARGET PRACTICE.—The Cadets frequently practice with their rifles, using the Creedmoor targets and rules. Their scores show that a number of them would make magnificent shots with more practice.

UNIFORM.—The students in the Military Department are required to provide themselves with uniforms within *one month* from the time they enter the College—the quality of the cloth is not considered, but the color of the cloth *must be* of the uniform color of *Cadet grey*. The commandant should be consulted as to the color of the cloth, *before* the suits are made. Average price of a good uniform \$15.

PRIZE MEN AND PRIZES—STATE CHAMPIONSHIP:

Sergeant THOMAS W. EVERETT, Fulton county, Atlanta Fair 1878, Gold Medal.

BATTALION PRIZES.

(Presented by Commandant.)

M. L. JOHNSON, Bartow county, Commencement 1878, Gold Medal.

T. L. VENABLE, Lumpkin county, Commencement 1878, Silver Medal.

JEFFERSON DAVIS, Habersham county, Spring Term 1879, Silver Medal.

THE "STEVENS" GOLD MEDAL.

(Presented to Military Department N. G. A. College by J. P. Stevens & Co.)

F. R. COOPER, Fulton county, Fall Term 1878.

H. EMMET WILSON, Effingham county, Spring Term, 1879.

OFFICERS OF THE CORPS OF CADETS.

Joseph Garrard (1st Lieut. 4th U. S. Art.,) Major and Com'd't of Cadets.

STAFF.

W. S. Wilson,
Jas. J. Gaillard,

Cadet Lieutenant and Adjutant.
Sergeant Major.

COMPANY OFFICERS.

W. F. Crusselle,
M. G. Bates,

Company A.

J. H. Abernathy,
J. W. Henley,
H. M. Darden,
C. E. Watt,
J. H. Huddleston,
B. D. Ragsdale,
G. R. Brown
W. O. Childress,
U. H. McLaws,
J. W. Dennis,

Capt. and Asst. Instrnctor in Mil. Tactics.
Capt. and Asst. Instructor in Mil. Tactics.

Company B.

Lieutenant.	J. H. E. Wilson,	Lieutenant.
Lieutenant.	P. T. Lamar,	Lieutenant.
1st Sergeant.	M. S. Roberts,	1st Sergeant.
Sergeant.	T. L. Venable,	Sergeant.
Sergeant.	D. G. Reid,	Sergeant.
Sergeant.	R. L. Longstreet,	Sergeant.
Sergeant.	J. J. Bates,	Sergeant.
Corporal.	W. C. Davis,	Corporal.
Corporal.	Alex. McBean,	Corporal.
Corporal.	R. B. Cheek,	Corporal.

COLOR GUARD.

C. E. Watt,
T. J. Wesley,
D. K. Garrard,
G. C. Johnson,

Color Sergeant.
Color Corporal.
Color Corporal.
Color Corporal.

GOVERNMENT.

The following rules have been adopted for the government of the School, and others will be added when deemed advisable :

1. Whilst the school is in session the students are under the direction of the Faculty.
2. Pupils may enter the College at any time during the session, but it is advisable that they should enter at the beginning of a term. The reasons for this rule are too many and obvious to be repeated.
3. Every pupil is required to attend the opening exercises every morning, or to be marked for neglect or tardiness, unless excused.
4. The Holy Bible shall never be excluded from among the books that are used in the Institution.
5. As divine service is held nearly every Sabbath in the year in the churches of the village, it is expected that each student will attend divine service at least once every Sabbath; and for irreverent behavior while attending church, shall be suspended, or otherwise punished, according to offense.
6. Regular attendance upon recitations is so important that none will be excused, except where necessity will justify their absence.
7. No pupil shall be allowed to leave before the close of the session, except upon the request or permission of the parent or guardian.
8. No student shall be received of known immoral habits, nor where they have been expelled from other Institutions, except upon satisfactory evidence of reformation, which will be determined by the Board of Trustees.
9. Strict attention to study, and punctuality in attendance on lectures, recitations and other duties, will be made the condition of every student's continuance at the College, except where they are broken off by the requirements of the farm or other home demands. During their stay within the town, no student will be allowed to devote the hours of study in idleness and vagrancy.

10. Students are required quietly to take their places in the Recitation Rooms at the appointed times; to attend closely to the exercises of the hour—not whispering or communicating in any manner with each other—and, when the exercise is over, to retire in a quiet and respectful manner.

11. The habit of contracting debts at stores—except for necessary books and stationery and of hiring horses or vehicles—except on business approved by the Faculty—is strictly forbidden, unless with the knowledge and permission of parent or guardian in writing.

12. The use of spirituous or intoxicating liquors is strictly forbidden, and if any student is known to have, drink, or procure the same for himself, or to furnish it to another student, or to assist another student to obtain it—he shall be suspended for three months or expelled.

13. A student who shall offer or accept a challenge to fight, or in any way aid, abet, or promote a duel; or upbraid another for declining to fight, shall be expelled.

14. Pupils are prohibited from entering into combinations, under whatever pretext, for the purposes of disturbance. Any one engaging in riotous conduct, or becoming a party to an agreement to hold no intercourse with a fellow-student, or to do any act to the prejudice of good order and gentlemanly bearing, shall be suspended or expelled, according to the aggravation of the offense. Propriety of behavior is enjoined upon students at all times and places.

15. No pupil will be allowed to play cards, or bet, or wager money, or any other thing of value, upon games of chance.

16. Each student is required, on entering the College, to deliver to the Commandant of Cadets any pistol or other deadly weapon he may have in his possession; nor is any student allowed to keep or have under his control any such weapon, neither his own nor that of another; and any one drawing, or using such weapons against another, will be expelled.

17. Profane swearing, or corrupt language, and defacing the walls, will receive prompt punishment. And all offences against good morals, and all irregularities or neglects, to the prejudice of good order and gentlemanly bearing, though not herein enumerated, will be taken cognizance of, according to the nature and degree of the offence.

18. Cleanliness is strictly enjoined, and it is expected in every instance that male students will wait upon themselves, polish their own shoes, dust their own clothing, and make their own fires. Young ladies, whether boarding at the institution or in families in the village, will be expected to keep their rooms in perfect order, and to perform all other domestic duties that may properly fall upon them to do. These things are enjoined and expected, because one of the prime objects in view is to teach the young men and young ladies of the country the importance of self-reliance and self-dependence.

19. No student shall be allowed to engage in any concerts, charades, exhibitions or minstrelsies. Nor shall any student, while connected with the Institution, be allowed to attend balls, or loiter about places of dissipation, nor attend circuses, without the consent of the parent or guardian.

20. All damage to the college building, breaking of seats or window glass, shall be immediately repaired by the pupil committing the same, or by his or her parent or guardian. On failure to repair or pay for the same, the pupil shall be expelled from the school, and not allowed to enter again until the amount is paid or damage repaired.

21. No student is allowed to discontinue his connection with the College before the term is out, without the express consent of the Faculty. In the case of non-resident students, they will be under the jurisdiction of the Faculty until they leave the town. Where a pupil absents himself without leave, his name will appear in the catalogue as EXPELLED.

22. No male student shall be excused from the rules governing the military department of the College, except for physical disability, that they are thus excused will appear in the catalogue.

23. No student is allowed to smoke on the streets of the town, on the College grounds, nor in the College rooms or halls.

LICENSED TO TEACH.

List of students who have received Teachers Licenses, upon the examination June, 1879:

J. H. Abernathy,	W. C. Abernathy,	J. B. Alexander,
J. E. Alexander,	H. D. Arnold,	N. D. Arnold,
Miss Luella Allen,	Miss Emma Barrette,	J. J. Bates,
Miss Henrietta Beaver,	J. O. Bolding,	G. R. Brown,
Miss Sarah Bryant,	W. M. Busha,	H. A. Camp,
Miss Mary Campbell,	Miss Lizzie Chapman,	R. B. Cheek,
B. J. Chester,	W. O. Childress,	J. P. Cochran,
R. B. Cousins,	Miss Ada Crawford,	John Cutcher,
H. M. Darden,	W. C. Davis,	Jeff. Davis,
Miss Sue Davis,	W. P. Delk,	I. W. Dennis,
W. J. Freeman,	J. F. Gaddis,	O. D. M. Gaddis,
J. J. Gaillard,	Robt. Garner,	Jno. W. Henley,
L. P. Hillyer,	J. H. Huddleston,	Allen Hudson,
D. W. Jarrard,	G. C. Johnson,	H. V. Johnson,
J. E. Knott,	P. T. Lamar,	J. S. Latner,
Miss Mary Lewis,	B. W. Logan,	R. L. Longstreet,
W. K. Mallette,	W. L. Martin,	Alex. McBean;
U. H. McLaws,	D. W. Meadow,	J. T. Mitchell,
Ernest Neal,	Julius Neal,	C. F. Palmour,
J. T. Payton,	C. N. Peak,	B. A. Perry,
J. M. Pirkle,	C. G. Power,	B. D. Ragsdale,
M. S. Roberts,	J. R. Slater,	R. H. Smith,
M. N. Stow,	J. H. Tankersley,	C. N. Thompson,
E. B. Thompson,	E. A. Vaughn,	Miss Mollie Vaughn,
T. L. Venable,	J. G. Walker,	B. C. Ward,
C. E. Watt,	T. J. Wesley,	H. E. Wilson,
W. S. Wilson,	R. F. Woodward,	







